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**MEMORANDUM FOR COMMANDERS, DEFENSE CONTRACT MANAGEMENT
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**SUBJECT: DCMC Memorandum No.97-022, Clarification of Determination of
Delinquency on Government Contracts (INFORMATION)**

This is an INFORMATION Memorandum. Target Audience: DCMC personnel involved in computing, analyzing or reporting delivery delinquency.

The purpose of this memorandum is to clarify the point at which contracts are considered to be delinquent. DCMC policy is that contracts are considered delinquent as soon as the schedule is exceeded. Several recent incidents indicate that a limitation that was programmed into the Revised Delivery Forecast (RDF) features of MOCAS is still considered to be a part of DCMC policy. The algorithm used by MOCAS to compute delinquency disregarded contracts delinquent for less than thirty days. The reasons for this programming method are varied but are now irrelevant.

DCMC currently tracks delinquency rates on closed contracts using the original delivery schedule as the benchmark. Delinquent status on active contracts will be available through the Alerts program once it is connected to the Shared Data Warehouse. The importance of maintaining these two data sources correctly cannot be over emphasized. DCMC Policy Letter 96-19 gives directions for MOCAS data entry to assure the integrity of the original delivery date information. The Alerts User Manual gives direction for proper recording of information within that system.


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